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SUBJ: OECD OBSERVER STATUS AT THE UN

REF: (A) STATE 168812 (B) OECD PARIS 20366

1. IN FOLLOW-UP TO EARLIER CONVERSATIONS CONVEYING CONTENTS REF A, MISSION HAS LEARNED FROM SECRETARIAT THAT ISSUE OF OECD OBSERVER STATUS, WHILE SEEMING TO MOVE TOWARD EVENTUAL POSITIVE CONCLUSION, IS UNLIKELY TO COME BEFORE HEADS OF DELEGATION AND COUNCIL BEFORE OCTOBER, THUS POSTPONING SUCH STATUS, IF APPROVED, UNTIL FALL, 1978 UNGA.

2. ACCORDING TO SECRETARIAT, SOUNDINGS THUS FAR REVEAL THAT UK AND AUSTRIA -- CONFIRMED IN OUR OWN CONTACTS -- CLEARLY REMAIN OPPOSED TO OBSERVER STATUS. MOST DELEGATIONS HOWEVER, INDICATE UNLIKELIHOOD OF OBTAINING INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE THE FALL. SECRETARIAT THEREFORE PLANS TO POSTPONE FURTHER ACTION UNTIL
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VAN LENNEP RETURNS FROM HIS VISIT TO WASHINGTON FOR BANK AND FUND MEETINGS IN LATE SEPTEMBER.

3. COMMENT: OUR OWN CONTACTS INDICATE SECRETARIAT WILL HAVE SOME DIFFICULTY IN CONVINCING UK AND AUSTRIA OF THE NEED FOR OBSERVER STATUS. PRESENT ARGUMENT COMBINED WITH "NON-NEGATIVE" ATTITUDES OF OTHER MEMBERS

MAY NOT BE ENOUGH TO PERSUADE THEM TO GO ALONG, AND IT
REMAINS TO BE SEEN WHETHER SECRETARY GENERAL CAN FIND
OTHER MORE CONVINCING SUBSTANTIVE ARGUMENTS TO SWAY
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